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WM. R. KENNADY.

Topeka, Kans., June 28th, 1894.

NOTICE—To whom it may concern—Be it known that my petition is on the in the probate court asking for a permit to sent into reating liquous at No. 28 Kanasa avenue, in the Second ward of the city of topeka. Hearing for same is set for Jmy 21, 1604, at J R. m. FREO HOLLER, Topeka, Kan., June 18, 1896.

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Ordinance No. 1719.

AN ORDINANCE to appropriate money out of the ceneral Revenue Fund, the Fire Depart-ment Fund, the ste reportant Police Fund, the General Improvement Fund, the Jusquient fand, the Lorary fund, the Water Supply fund, the Sevenue street paving fund, and the Eight avenue paving fund, and the Interest fund.

Be it Ordained by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Topeka:

SECTION 1. That the sum of nineteen thousand our hundred twenty-nine and os-low dollars, be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of the seneral Revenue r und, the late Department and the Medopolitan Police Fund, the General improvement Fund, the Mater Supply Fund, he Seventh Street paying fund and the Lighth avenue paying r und and the Interest fund, to pay payrolls and claims of the city of day of Topeka for the month of June, 1894, to-

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SEC. 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the official city paper.

Passed the council July 2, 1894.

Approved July 2, 1894.

C. A. FELLOWS, Acting Mayor.

Attest: S. S. McFadden.

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I spoke."

Anita loc

Twenty-five Cents.



'T was all settled. when we were children, that Gerald and I should marry when we grew up Our parents kindly made all arrangements, and we, of course. were not consult-

perfectly horrid for parents to arrange their children's futures in that | the five o'clock dinner, they found a cold-blooded way. Don't you Anita?"

And pretty Bessie Burton drew her slim figure up to its full height, and tried to look stern.

"But, Bessie, it was all done, no

doubt, with the kindest intentions. Your father and mother meant it for the best. I am sure of that. And no doubt it will all come right in time. You will learn to love Gerald Keith." "Never! Why, 'Nita, he is nothing but a dude. He is the most effeminate of men. His hands are white and soft-so is his head-I fancy; but I will confess I know very little con- approve. cerning his intellectual qualities, as I have only met him twice since we self-her face flushing crimson-"and were children. You see, he has been at college for years, then he traveled all over Europe and Asia, and re-

again, I should hate him." "Bess!" "I can't help it! Why, he is as gentle and effeminate in his ways as a the ground; and out of the woods, woman. Now, the man I love-if I

mained from home for a long, long

turned last month-all finished, and

turned out upon a cold world. 'Nita,

I have an idea-an awful idea, dear-

time. I was at school and only re-

ever learn to love any man-must be brave! A real hero-not afraid of shot eyes, and protruding tongue, anything. One who will distinguish and jaws fleeked with foam. himself in some way-by a brave, heroic action. Not the sort of man that Gerald Keith suggests; a delicate, tender blossom, upon whom the chill winds of adversity must not blow. To imagine those dainty white hands occupied with menial labor, would be the height of absurdity. No-no; 'Nita, my dear-the man I marry must be brave-in short, a hero! I could never give my love to any other. So, I stand a chance of

sweet outburst of laughter. The two friends were seated upon a vine-covered veranda at the old-fash- dissolution. ioned home of Bessie Burton; and as the musical laugh rang out upon the air, a tall figure arose from a rustic caught his hand in both her own. seat not far away, and slowly approached the house. The figure of a He was extremely handsome in a you are!" were unmistakably white. He looked like one who had never been forced save his friends from such a horrible to come in contact with toil, or the fate!" hard grind of business. He lifted his

hat with a courtly bow. "I beg your pardon, ladies," he began at once, "I have been waiting for give me. Mr. Keith?" some time for Mr. Burton. I arrived "Not if you persist in calling ma about an hour ago, and he asked me Mr. Keith," he returned, amilingly. towait for him here; oh, there he is coming at last!" as a portly figure in a Bessie, I love you, I have always white linen suit suddenly emerged

into view. Bessie's father. "Wait a moment," Mr. Burton cried gayly. "I wish to repair my omis- wife?" sion. Girls, I forgot to tell you that a guest had arrived at the Burton place. Gerald, this is my daughter Bessie, Miss Anita West, her best pered: friend. Girls, this is an old friend-Gerald Keith-just returned from foreign parts, and anxious to renew \$1,573 82 | old acquaintance."

For just a moment Bessie felt as if she would like to sink out of sight. To use her own words: "You might have knocked her down with a feather." She glanced helplessly in Anita's direction; but that damsel was busily engaged in studying the sky which stretched out blue and



THE ANIMAL FELL TO THE GROUND. colorless over head, and proved no assistance to Miss Bessie. Somehow, the introduction was acknowledged, and then Mr. Burton escorted his friend away, leaving behind him the announcement that they would be back for dinner. Once more alonethe two girls sat staring helplessly utes." into each other's face, and utterly unable to utter a word. But silence with Beas was a physical impossibility, and so at last she said:

"'Nita! What shall I do? He heard -he must have overheard every word

Anita looked sympathetic.

dured; and perhaps it will all come

right." "Right? How can it come right? I am sure I did not mean to insult him -only, of course, I could not think of marrying him! But now," with a slight of intense relief, "I fancy he will no longer desire it. And, to tell the truth, 'Nita, how do I know that he has desired it? Perhaps he is quite as opposed to marrying me as I am to becoming his wife."

'Nita looked hopeful. "Yes, dear, who knows? Well, at least try and forget the words you said, and treat your father's guest with civility."

So, when the gentlemen returned to the great cheery old country-house, to very sweet and demure little lady attired in a white lawn dress, with a great red rose in the lace at her throat, her blue eyes full of kindli-Anita West glanced up from her ness, as she received her father's

lace-work, and smiled deprecatingly. guest. The evening passed sociably, and when Bessie retired that night aba could not help feeling that it had been a very pleasant one. Days. passed, and Gerald Keith remained at Burton place. He was very polite and courteous in his manner to Bessle, but he was quite attentive to her friend. Gradually it came home to Bessiel the state of affairs, and she did not

"He likes 'Nita" she said to herhe despises me because he overheard my foolish words. They were foolish-for how do I know anything in regard to his real nature?"

But she was destined to find out That very evening she was walking with Anits in a retired spot, some distance from her home. A pretty that if I were to meet Gerald Keith | stretch of woodland, with a shining river gliding swiftly by. All at once there was the sound of rushing feet upon the fallen leaves which strewed just beyond them, a dog rushed madly. A huge animal with red, blood-

One swift frightened glanco and the girls paused in horror.

The dog was mad! On he came, making straight for them. An instant more and he would have sprung upon Bessie, who was nearest him; but just at that moment Gerald Keith suddenly appeared upon the scene. Wrapping his bandkerchief about his left hand, he caught the dog by its jaws, and with his right hand drew a revolver which he thrust into the wide open month. A loud being a 'lone, lorn female' to the last day of my life." She broke of with a report, a muttered growl, and the animal fell to the ground, rolling over and over in the agonies of

> When Gerald Keith turned once more toward the two girls, Beasle, "Are you hurt?" she cried, exclud-

"Oh, I pray you are not hurt! man, attired in the very latest fashion. Oh, Mr. Keith, how brave and noble rather effeminate way, and his hands "Not at all," he returned coolly; "of course any man would attempt to

> "But-you are a hero!" stammered Bessie, "and I-I said such hateful things about you! Can you ever for

> "Won't you call me Gerald, dear? loved you, I think; can't you overcome your dislike of me and try and love me well enough in time to be my

And the golden head sank upon his shoulder, utterly unmindful of Anita's presence, while the red lips whis-

"Yes!" And so Bessie found her hero!

Who Donbts 71? The latest Methuselah story comes

from England. This time it is not from a man who has a distinct recollection of Napoleon's grandfather, or an old, old lady who witnessed the execution of Charles the First, or nursed the infant Cromwell; nor yet does this story tell of a devoted couple who arm in arm have wandered down the path of time together since their wedding day, the same day that George Washington's father and mother were married, and are now about to celebrate their platinum wedding. This time the hero is a horse, and a very grandfatherly old horse, too. He belonged to the Merney and Irwell navigating company, but left their employment recently and embarked for the happy hunting grounds at the green old age of sixty-

"There has been a great deal of stuff and nonsense written about hypnotism, as if it were something very abstruse," said a Philadelphia physician. "In fact, it is an every-day phase of mental abstraction. Anyone may hypnotize himself in a few minutes by closing his eyes, directing them inward and downward, and then, imagining his breath to be vapor, watching its inhalation and expulsion from the nostrils. Babies invariably look cross-eyed before going to sleep, in this way producing what hypnotists call 'transfixion,' Fishermen often hypnotize themselves watching a cork on a surface of shining water. An hour passes as if it were a few min-

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Not Wholly Consistent.

A curious anomaly, comes to the top through the war on race track betting going on in this country and England. The race track men maintain that the sport is beloved of all true sportsmen who take delight in seeing a thorough-"I am afraid he did, dear-for he bred extend himself and improving

was sitting just behind the rose screen the breed; and yet it is freely ad-You can afford to donate that, even if | yonder, and must have heard. Well, | mitted that if the gambling element

day in the week more than twice as many Topeka people as can be reached through any other paper. This is a fact through the paper. The paper through t